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ECONOMY BASEMENT
SHOP DOWN STAIRS
SAVE MONEYDecember Sale 1000 Pairs
WOMEN'S SHOES
\$3.48 & \$4.28\$5.00 Shoes Priced At
\$3.48\$6.00 Shoes Priced At
\$4.28

THIS is the most wonderful offer ever made locally. All new high top Boots in brown and black. Both kid and cloth top styles. Low or high heels. Some French heels. An opportunity like this comes very seldom and should be grasped by all shrewd shoppers. All sizes for women. Regular \$5.00 values. EXTRA SPECIAL FRI- \$3.48 DAY.

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WE OFFER complete lines in grey kid Boots with French heels, brown and black kid in all leather or with cravenette tops. Both lace and button styles. Low or high heels. All sizes for women. Many stores would be glad to buy these boots from the makers at this low price. Regular \$6.00 values. EXTRA SPECIAL FRI- \$4.28 DAY.

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Main Floor Sale
Semi-Dress Hats**\$4.98**

REGULAR \$15 VALUES

WE OFFER for Friday and Saturday a special collection of 100 Semi-Dress Hats in regular \$15 values. All beautifully made and trimmed. EXTRA SPECIAL \$4.98. EXTRA-100 HATS IN VALUES TO \$20.00 FOR \$7.50. EXTRA-100 HATS IN VALUES TO \$25.00 FOR \$9.95.

—Main Floor

Basement Sale
Gold Lace Hats**\$5.98**

\$10 & \$15 VALUES

JUST 50 of these beautiful Gold Lace Hats for this sale. Shown in white, taupe, brown and black satin combined with gold lace. All \$10 and \$12.50 values. EXTRA SPECIAL \$5.98. EXTRA-A SPECIAL LOT OF CHILDREN'S TAILORED HATS IN MANY STYLES AND COLORS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SELLING UP TO \$5.00 VALUES. \$1.49.

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Mail Orders
Filled"The House
Of Courtesy"**THE WHITE HOUSE**Phone Orders
Filled"The Store
Of Service"

Little Plaza Phone—4580

The new
steam treatment
for pale, sallow skins



When your skin is pale and colorless—"pasty," it means that your pores are clogged and unable to throw off all the waste matter that they should.

One night a week try this treatment. Fill your basin full of hot water—almost boiling hot. Bend over the top of the basin and cover your head and the basin with a heavy bath towel, so that no steam can escape. Steam your face for thirty seconds. This opens the pores wide, stimulates the tiny blood vessels of the face and brings the blood to the surface.

Now lather a hot cloth with Woodbury's Facial Soap. With this, wash your face thoroughly, rubbing the lather well into the skin in an upward and outward motion. Then rinse the skin well, first with warm water, then with cold, and finish by rubbing it for thirty seconds with a piece of ice. This closes the pores and makes the skin firm in texture.

If you have a good color use Woodbury's Facial Soap nightly for general cleansing. This treatment, however, is intended only for pale, sallow skins.

See how much the first treatment does

Get your first cake of Woodbury's today. Begin now to overcome whatever condition is keeping your skin from being as lovely as it should be.

Blackheads, conspicuous nose pores, oily skin and shiny nose, blemishes, a sluggish, sallow skin—treatments for these and other of the commoner skin troubles are given in the booklet "A Skin You Love to Touch" which comes wrapped around the soap.

You will find a 25c cake sufficient for a month or six weeks of any Woodbury treatment and for general cleansing use during this time.

Get a cake today. It is on sale at all drug stores and toilet goods counters throughout the United States and Canada. The Andrew Jergens Company, Cincinnati, New York and Perth, Ontario.

CARL MEERES LAND VALUATION FORMER INDIAN SCOUT TO TALK MADDOCK GIVES FINANCE REPORT U.C.C. SUGGESTS CHANGES

County Assessor's Office Perfects Ready Reference File For Public.

With the completion on December 15 of the card index file in the county assessor's office, which I have been working on for the past year, we expect to have a system for supplying information to the public to regard to location, name and assessed value of property within a minute's notice," said William R. Sanders, of the county assessor's office.

The file consists of approximately 25,000 cards, covering every piece of property in El Paso and adjoining districts. Before this file was adopted, when anyone inquired for information, we had to look through the cumbersome book file of the last rendition, and if the property was not rendered during the current year, we had to go back to the previous rendition.

This meant endless work for our office as well as a long wait for the public. Now we can furnish information with little more than a glance. This file cabinet is the result of the efficient supervision of John T. Cain, the county assessor, and it is only one of many things which he is planning to assure cooperation with his office and the collector, and also to give ready service to the public.

Tenant Owners.
I want a good tenant quick. Give me a price on your property. See Newman, Tennessee & Company, Phone 4601, 305 S. El Paso St. Advertisement.

The next time
you buy calomel
ask for

alotabs

The purified calomel tablets that are entirely free of all sickening and salivating effects.

Medicated vitamin really improved. Guaranteed by our druggist. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

THE MEN IN CLASS A1

A sound, healthy man is never a luck number. A man can be as vigorous and able at seventy as at twenty. A system weakened by overwork and careless living brings old age prematurely. The bodily functions are impaired and unpleasant symptoms appear. The weak spot is generally the kidneys. Keep them clean and in proper working condition and you will generally find yourself in Class A1. Take GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. They are made of the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil—the kind your great-grandfather used. Two capsules each day will keep you toned up and feeling fine. Money refunded if they do not help you. Remember to ask for the Imported GOLD MEDAL Brand. In three sizes, sealed packages—Adv.

STOPS ANY COLD IN A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" opens clogged nose and head and ends gripe.

Relief comes instantly. A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end gripe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs. It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops mucus discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, soreness and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and sniffing! Breathe your throat big! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine—Adv.

Cured His RUPTURE

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope was an operation. I tried a number of things but nothing did me any good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble. I was nothing to sell, but will give full information to anyone who will find a complete cure without operation. If you write to me, Eugene M. Pickett, Carpenter, 925 E. Marshall Avenue, Mesquite, N. J. I will send you this notice and when I see any other who is ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One small bottle is two months' treatment and often cures. Send for sworn testimony. R. Louis, 310 S. 4th by drugstore. Adv. St. Louis, Mo. W. H. Hall, 2375 Olive St.

Theo. W. Golden, Army Y. M.C.A. To Tell El Paso of Experiences Sunday.

Theo. W. Golden will be the principal speaker at next Sunday's men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building on North Oregon street. The meeting will be called to order at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Golden will have as his subject for the occasion "Down and Up" and this talk will be in the nature of a recital of personal experiences.

The speaker will address a boys' meeting at 8:30 at 236 Sunday afternoon, preceding his talk to the men. The subject of his address to the boys will be "Some Soldiers I Have Known."

Mr. Golden is well known to most El Pasoans as he has made this city his home for many years, since coming from Wisconsin and before entering the service of the army Y. M. C. A. in early life he was a soldier and was connected with the company which was all but annihilated by the Sioux Indians in the battle of massacre of the Little Big Horn, when the gallant Custer and all those with him lost their lives.

Golden escaped through having been sent upon detached duty the day of the massacre. In his address to the boys he will tell of this battle and his efforts to avenge the losses incurred.

The boys' meeting will be under direction of Wilson McVey, associate secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Music for both meetings to be held next Sunday afternoon will be furnished by Charles Lounsbury, a cornetist.

News Brevities

(Advertisement.)

Train Bulletin.
G. H. train No. 433, a. m., was scheduled Thursday to arrive at 2:40 p. m. No. 2, same system, due at 4:30 p. m., was delayed to 5 p. m. P. No. 1, same system, was scheduled for 2:33 p. m. and No. 23, due at 10 p. m., was marked up to 10:10 p. m. All other afternoon and night trains were reported on time.

Shoe Store Supplies—Mexico Shoe Machinery Co., 215 South Oregon St.

Hold Policeman for Killing.
Rapid City, S. D., Dec. 5.—Eight patrolman Dan Burroughs, of this city, is being held by the sheriff for investigation as a result of the killing of Miss Smith, a young man of this city, last night, who is said to have refused to halt when ordered to do so by Burroughs.

Dr. Ebert, Dentist, 215 Mills Bldg.

Bank Robbed of Bonds.
Leavenworth, Ind., Dec. 4.—Liberty bonds and war savings certificates secured by robbers who footed the Leavenworth state bank here on Wednesday is placed at \$100,000.

TROUBLE Avoid trouble. Leave baggage checks at Longwell's, or Telephone No. 1.

Brazil Sugar Refineries Close.
Rio de Janeiro, Dec. 5.—The closing of sugar refineries in Brazil is reported in dispatches from Rio de Janeiro, indicating the high cost of raw material for the shutdown.

The Camera Shop—211 N. Oregon.

Miss Martin to Run Again.
Reno, Nev., Dec. 5.—Miss Anne H. Martin, the widely known suffragist of this city, who was defeated at the November election as a candidate for the United States senate on an independent ticket, told members of the Nevada women's civic league here that she plans to seek the same office in the campaign of 1928.

Outcrops — Drs. McCarthy, 601 Martin Bldg. P. 2495, Residence, 456.

Favor Military Training.
Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 5.—Nearly 200 representatives of leading universities of America and England, meeting at Harvard, agreed that compulsory military training for students in American colleges was necessary to supply the United States army with officers in case of another war.

Dr. Anna Reum, Buckler Bldg. P. 577.

Porto Rico Seeks Self Government.
San Juan, Porto Rico, Dec. 5.—A resolution of the legislature at a special session Wednesday, requesting the U. S. to grant complete self government to Porto Rico.

200,000 Jobs Offered Troops.
Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Plans were agreed to by the war department and the shipping board under which offers of 200,000 jobs in its shipyards and the merchant marine will be placed before soldiers soon to be mustered out of the service.

French War Orphan Sends Thanks Here

DANDRUFF GOES!
HAIR GETS THICK,
WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments. Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will, after an application of Dandurine, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or itching. Your hair and scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first, but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Dandurine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Dandurine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance, an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Dandurine from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as that it has been. It is selected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Dandurine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, brings about a new growth, and its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.—Adv.

LITTLE CAMILLE DENISE, of St. Nicolas, France, is being fostered by Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hager, 719 North Santa Fe street, El Paso, through the local office of the Fatherless Children of France, Incorporated. Camille is too young to write herself, but her mother, Madame Denise, wrote Mr. and Mrs. Hager in part as follows:

"Dear Madame and Monsieur: I have just received notice from the bureau for the care of the war orphans that my dear little Camille has been adopted by you. I have also received the money order for 45 francs, for which I am very much obliged. I am enclosing Camille's photograph, that you may see that she is too small to write and express her thanks, but rest assured when she grows older she will understand and love you.

"Hopely to hear from you soon, I beg, dear Madame and Monsieur, that you accept our heartfelt thanks, to remain with our best wishes."

Pays Tribute to Patriotism of the Americans Who Helped Win War.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—The financial history of America's part in the war is set forth by secretary McAdoo in his annual report drafted before his resignation, and made public today by the treasury. It is the history of how the American people paid billions in taxes, raised four great liberty loans and created a tremendous pool of credit with which the treasury through its many war agencies paid the bills of the army and navy, the shipping board and other government departments, loaned billions to the allies and millions to war industries, helped support the families of soldiers and sailors and tilted farming over periods of financial stringency.

The payment into the treasury of vast sums in war taxes and from bond sales," says secretary McAdoo, "and the transformation of our varied and complex economic life into a more unified task of winning the war have been accomplished without shock or financial disturbance. The credit and business structure of the nation remains sound and strong. The results of the four liberty loans are a tribute to the patriotism of the American people and to the economic strength of the nation."

Account of Stewardship.
The report constitutes secretary McAdoo's final accounting of the stewardship before retiring as the nation's finance minister. Throughout the report, Mr. McAdoo refers repeatedly to the remarkable achievements of American civilization in providing the money and materials for war, and acting as the "sager second line of defense."

Commenting on the showing of financial arrangements in great detail by the document, treasury librarians stated that the financial history of the civil war is buried in a great stack of dusty ledgers, and probably never will be officially set forth.

Cost of War.
For the 15 months ending last June 30, secretary McAdoo estimated that actual cost of the war, with allowances for the government's ordinary expenses in ordinary times, amounted to \$12,222,000,000. Nearly half of this, or \$4,928,000,000, went to permanent investments, in the form of ships, airplanes, war vessels, camps, buildings, and in loans to allies or to American war industries. Of the year's expenses 21.6 percent came from taxation.

The civil establishment of the government during the year spent \$1,501,000,000, while the war department spent \$2,244,000,000 and the navy \$2,250,000,000. For support of the army alone the government paid out \$4,122,000,000. The naval expenditures included the construction of new vessels, machinery, armament, equipment and improvements at navy yards. Total ordinary disbursements for the year amounted to \$3,968,000,000 and ordinary receipts, excluding money received from liberty loans, amounted to \$4,174,000,000. Loans to allies during the year amounted to \$4,128,000,000 additional.

Coming Expenses.
Looking forward, secretary McAdoo found great difficulty in forecasting expenditures for the current fiscal year which ends next June 30, on account of the sudden coming of peace. Estimates which he presented are based on calculations of each department in advance of revisions since the signing of the armistice and he does not consider them reliable. With this explanation Mr. McAdoo forecast expenditures for this year at \$29,557,000,000 for government purposes, \$24,275,000,000 for loans to allies and \$2,440,000,000 for redemption of outstanding certificates and other debt consolidation. Total estimated disbursements for the year were put at \$27,118,000,000.

VOTE VALID WHEN NAME IS WRITTEN ON BALLOT

Austin, Texas, Dec. 5.—The third court of civil appeals held in an opinion written by associate justice John W. Brady yesterday that when a voter writes the name of a man on the ticket, and there is no doubt as to the voter's intent that the vote shall be counted, even though the name was not written in the blank space on the ballot set aside for this purpose. This decision was given in the case of C. O. Moore et al. vs. C. H. Davis, and decided the sheriffship of Falls county.

PERU ASKS \$20,000,000 LOAN IN U. S. REPORT

Lima, Peru, Dec. 5.—It is reported that Peru has asked American bankers for a loan of approximately \$20,000,000.

TO SAVINGS DEPOSITORS.

Kindly present your pass books for entry of interest for the six months ending Dec. 29th. All deposits made prior to Dec. 10th will bear interest from Dec. 1st, 1918.

UNION BANK & TRUST COMPANY.

R. Weinstein, Sec.—Adv.

MADDOCK PLACES CONTRACTS FOR 500 NEW LOCOMOTIVES

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Contracts for the construction of 500 standard locomotives were awarded yesterday by the railroad administration to the American Locomotive company. Director general McAdoo said that this order is in addition to one for 100 standard locomotives, placed with the Lima Locomotive works, Lima, O. The two orders involve the expenditure of approximately \$44,000,000.

FREIGHT AGENTS TO MEET.

Friday at 2 o'clock there will be held a called meeting of the El Paso freight agents in the office of W. S. Ford, superintendent of terminals. The matter especially taken up will be in regard to switching in the terminal.

IMMIGRATION OFFICIAL IMPERSONATED, CHARGE

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He was held on the charge of impersonating an immigration official, and the department of justice was notified. Garcia volunteered in the United States army, but was released for being an alien. It was reported.

Annual Report of Commission Treats Present and Future of Roads.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Regardless of whether railroads finally go back to private management or remain in the hands of the government, radical changes should be made in their methods and theories of operation to provide a partial merger under some sort of government regulation, the Interstate Commerce commission says in its annual report made public today.

The commission bolsters the time is not ripe to recommend concrete proposals for legislation relating to the future policy toward railroads, but says whatever be the nation's decision, there should be provision for complete unification of the railways in war time, partial merger in ordinary times, limitation of railway operation to public necessity, and systematic encouragement of the development in inland waterways, and their coordination with rail carriers.

Opposes Competition.
In other words, the commission is opposed to operation of the old conditions of individual competition, in which pooling of traffic was forbidden by law and the building of new lines without proof of the government that they are economically necessary.

If it is finally decided to restore railroads to private management, says the commission, there should be legislation to permit their cooperation, emancipation of railway operation from financial dictation, government regulation of security issues, clearing away of the existing twilight zone between the authority of state and federal authorities in railroad supervision, efficient use of equipment and common use of terminals.

Price To Be Paid.
On the other hand, if the policy of government ownership is adopted, the railroads from being made sources of revenue to the government, and also to maintain them as self supporting, measures to define carefully the responsibility of the railway administration to congress and federal and state authorities; guarantees against intrusion of partisan politics into railway management; and creation of a tribunal to settle disputes of controversies over the railroad matters.

Some sort of government regulation is suggested by the commission in connection with each of the five alternatives of railway policy which may be set forth by different interests in the near future. These alternatives are: Continuation of the present system of government control; government ownership, public operation with private operation, private operation with government control and guarantee, complete private control and ownership and complete public ownership and operation.

Upheaval By War.
The report deals at length with the upheaval of railroad relations caused by the war and the government's assumption of operation of the railroads of the interstate commerce commission to director general McAdoo and the railroad administration. The commission has cooperated fully with government regulation and the report, but the commission still retains its authority to review rates initiated by the director general.

Railroad Executives Urge Return Of Roads

New York, Dec. 5.—Executives of railroads, comprising more than 20 percent of the rail mileage of the country, in conference here Wednesday, adopted a resolution favoring a return of the roads to private management, and expressing the hope that the remaining period of federal control would be such as to leave the properties in the highest state of efficiency.

OMAHA-COUNCIL BLUFFS CARS STILL COMPLETELY TIED UP

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 5.—The car strike, on its second day, still has the street railway of Omaha and Council Bluffs completely tied up. No attempt was made to operate Sunday morning and no trouble was reported. Union leaders said the strike will continue until their demands for union recognition are granted.

The telegram of the war labor board that the company is not obliged to recognize the union does not affect their plans, they said.

Neither does the statement of mayor Smith, that the strike must end.

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LARGE METRIC SYSTEM

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Adoption of the metric system of weights and measurements for the United States will be urged with vigor by the American section of the International High Commission, which aims to bring about a general uniformity of commercial law and regulations and more stable financial relations between the United States and the South and Central American republics.

The American section holds that in view of the probable closer commercial relations between north and south America, it would be of immense value to business interests to substitute the metric system for the present system of weights and measures, and to bring about a general uniformity of commercial law and regulations and more stable financial relations between the United States and the South and Central American republics.

Phyllis Mary, of England, bears a son named the United States, said and said.